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PART IV.

Legislative Measures and Rules thereunder.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. D. 2538—I. & C. 252-40-4, dated Bangalore, the 29th November 1940.

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3(A) of the Mysore Weights and Measures Act No. III of 1902, as amended by Act No. IX of 1927, the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore are pleased to make the following new rule which shall be inserted as Rule 15-B after Rule 15-A of the Rules issued under the said Act.

"15-B. The use of a weight or measure not certified and stamped or not retested and restamped in accordance with these Rules shall be liable to the penalty prescribed in Section 5 of the Act."

2. This rule will come into force from the date of this Notification.

No. D. 2540—I. & C. 136-39-7, dated Bangalore, the 29th November 1940.

In exercise of the powers vested in them under Section 78(2) of the Mysore Factories Act, I of 1936, the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore are pleased to make the following rules regarding the marginally noted hazardous operations under the said Act, the draft notification in this behalf having been already published with Notification No. D. 5641—I. & C. 136-39-6, dated the 20th June 1940.

1. Chromium.
2. Cellulose.
3. Sand Blasting.
4. Cyanogen compounds.

2. The rules will come into force from the date of this Notification.

By Order,

C. E. NORONHA,

Secretary to Government, Development Department.

Chromium Rules.

1. *Title and Application.*—(*a*) These rules may be called the Hazardous (Chromium) Rules, 1940.

(*b*) They shall apply to all factories in which any operation involving the use of soluble chromium compounds is carried on.

2. *Declaration of Operations as Hazardous.*—Operations involving the use of soluble chromium compounds are declared to be hazardous operations when carried on in any factory.

3. *Prohibition of the Employment of Women, Children and Adolescents.*—No woman, child, or adolescent shall be employed in any factory in any of the operations specified in rule 2.

4. *Protective Clothing.*—(*a*) The occupier shall provide water-proof aprons (of a pattern approved by the Chief Inspector of Factories) or overalls in a clean condition which every person employed on any of the operations specified in rule 2 shall wear.

(*b*) The occupier shall provide loose fitting rubber gloves of suitable length and rubber boots or other water-proof foot wear for the use of those working at any vessel in which electrolytic plating or oxidation of metal article by the use of an electrolyte containing chromic acid or other chromium compounds or any process subsequent thereto is carried on:

Provided that the Chief Inspector of Factories may grant exemption from any or all the provisions of this rule where he is satisfied that they are not necessary to secure the health of the workers.

5. *Exhaust Draughts.*—An efficient exhaust draught shall be provided by mechanical means for the process of electrolytic plating or oxidation of metal articles by the use of an electrolyte containing chromic acid or other chromium compounds. The draught shall operate on the vapour or spray given off in the process as near as may be at the point of origin, so as to prevent it (as far as practicable under the atmospheric conditions usually prevailing) from escaping into the air of any place in which work is carried on.

Cellulose Spraying Rules.

1. *Title and Application.*—(*a*) These rules may be called the Hazardous Occupations (Cellulose Spraying) Rules, 1940.

(*b*) They shall apply to all factories in which the spraying of cellulose ester paints and lacquers is carried on.

2. *Declaration of Operation as Hazardous.*—The spraying of cellulose ester paints or lacquers is declared to be hazardous operation when carried on in any factory.

3. *Prohibition of the Employment of Children and Adolescents.*—No child or adolescent shall be employed in any factory on the operation specified in rule 2.

4. *Exhaust Draughts.*—An efficient exhaust draught shall be provided by mechanical means for the process specified in rule 2. The draught shall operate on the vapour given off in the process as near as may be at the point of origin so as to prevent it (as far as practicable under the atmospheric conditions usually prevailing) from escaping into the air of any place in which work is

carried on. The draught shall be maintained working for a period of at least five minutes after the cessation of the operation:

Provided that the Chief Inspector of Factories may grant exemption from the provisions of this rule if he is satisfied that due to the casual nature of the operation they are not necessary to secure the health of the workers.

5. *Position of Spray Operators.*—Arrangements shall, as far as practicable, be made so as to render it unnecessary for the person operating the spray to be in a position between a ventilating outfit and the article being sprayed.

Sand Blasting Rules.

1. *Title and Application.*—(*a*) These rules may be called the Hazardous Operations (Sand Blasting) Rules 1940.

(*b*) They shall apply to all factories in which the operation of sand blasting as defined in rule 2 is carried on.

2. *Definition.*—In these rules sand blasting means the use of a jet of sand, metal shot, grit or other abrasive, propelled by a blast of compressed air or steam.

3. *Declaration of Operation as Hazardous Operation.*—Sand blasting is declared to be a hazardous occupation when carried on in any factory.

4. *Prohibition of the Employment of Women Adolescents and Children.*—No woman, adolescent or child shall be employed in any factory on sand blasting.

5. *Protective Clothing.*—(1) No person shall be allowed to perform or to assist at sand blasting in the open air or to work within 30 feet of sand blasting apparatus in operation in the open air, unless he is wearing a suitable helmet and gauntlets.

(2) No person shall be allowed to work in or remain in a sand blasting chamber, unless he is wearing a suitable protective helmet, overalls and gauntlets or to insert his arm or hand into the chamber unless he is wearing a suitable gauntlet while sand blasting is carried on.

(3) The occupier shall provide and maintain in good condition all helmets, gauntlets and overalls necessary for compliance with sub-rules (1) and (2).

(4) A protective helmet shall not be considered suitable unless it carries the distinguishing mark of the person to whom it is issued and by whom it is intended to be used and is provided with a sufficient supply of pure air for breathing and ventilation, together with suitable arrangements to permit the escape of the expired air.

(5) No person shall wear a protective helmet that has been worn by another person unless and until such protective helmet shall have been thoroughly disinfected.

Cyanide Rules.

1. *Title and Application.*—(*a*) These Rules may be called Hazardous Operations (Cyanide) Rules, 1940.

(*b*) They shall apply to all factories in which any operation involving the use of Cyanogen compounds is carried on.

2. *Declaration of Operations as Hazardous.*—Operations involving the use of cyanogen compounds are declared to be hazardous occupations when carried on in any factory.

3. *Prohibition of the Employment of Women, Children and Adolescents.*—No woman, child or adolescent shall be employed in any of the operations specified in Rule 2.

4. *Protective Clothing and Antidote.*—(1) Occupier shall provide rubber gloves for hands and arms of workmen reaching above the elbows, employed in any of the operations specified in rule 2.

(2) The occupier shall keep a box containing the antidote consisting of the following:—

1. 30 c.c. of a 23 per cent solution of ferrous sulphate.
2. 30 c.c. of a 5 per cent solution of caustic potash.
3. Two grams of powdered oxide of magnesium.

(3) The abovenamed box should be provided with a glass front and placed in some conspicuous place in the factory and the words "Antitode for cyanide poisoning" with clear instructions of its use should be painted on the box.

5. *Exhaust Draught.*—An efficient exhaust draught shall be provided in the chamber where operations specified in rule 2 are carried on. The draught shall operate on

the vapour given off as near as may be at the point of origin so as to prevent it (as far as practicable under the atmospheric conditions usually prevailing) from escaping into the air of any place in which the operations are carried on.

No. P. 2808—*Legis.* 25-40-1, *dated Bangalore, the 27th November* 1940.

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 24 of the Mysore Moneylenders Act, 1939, the Government of His Highness the Maharaja are pleased to make the following further amendment to the Mysore Moneylenders Rules, 1940, namely :—

After rule 12, the following rule shall be added as rule 12-A, namely,—

"12-A. Where a Moneylender to whom a certificate under rule 11 or rule 12 has been issued, satisfies the Registrar who issued the certificate that it has been lost and makes an application for a duplicate, the Registrar may issue a duplicate certificate. The duplicate shall be an exact copy of the original, but shall bear on its face in red ink the word *Duplicate*. Every application for a duplicate certificate shall bear a Mysore Court Fee Stamp of the value of annas eight."

No. T. 1558—*R. T.* 31-40-2, *dated Bangalore the 28th November* 1940.

In virtue of the powers vested in them under Section 15 of the Mysore Road Traffic and Taxes Act No. VI of 1935, the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore are pleased to direct that the Nallurpala toll-gate on the Murkal-Hunsur Road, Hunsur Taluk, be shifted towards Hunsur beyond the junction of the said road with the Heggaddevankote-Hunsur Road.

No. T. 1599—*R. T.* 12-40-5, *dated Bangalore, the 3rd December* 1940.

In exercise of the powers conferred on them by Section 11 of the Mysore Motor Vehicles Act, 1928, the Government of His Highness the Maharaja are pleased to issue the following amendment to Rule 16 of the Mysore Motor Vehicles Rules, 1924, issued with Notification No. P. 3015—Legis. 21-22-10, dated 12th December 1924, as amended from time to time, the draft in the said behalf having already been issued with Notification No. T. 1280—R. T. 12-40-4, dated 5th November 1940 and published at page 356, Part IV of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 7th November 1940 :—

Amendment.

Add the following as Proviso after Rule 16 (iii) (ii) (b) :—

"Provided that in the case of renewal of driving licenses issued by competent authorities in Mysore State to persons who are at present serving with Army units abroad and thus prevented from applying for renewal before the date of expiry, the lesser fee of Rs. 3 per renewal shall alone be levied if such applicants for renewal produce a certificate from the Officer-Commanding, Madras District, to this effect and apply for renewals not later than thirty days after their return to Mysore State."

No. T. 1601—*R. T.* 12-40-7, *dated Bangalore, the 3rd December* 1940.

The following draft amendment which the Government propose to make in virtue of the powers vested in them under Section 11 of the Mysore Motor Vehicles Act, 1928, and Section 33 of the Mysore Road Traffic and Taxes Act, VI of 1935, to the rules regarding Public Service Motor Vehicles issued with Notification No. P. 3992—Legis. 46-35, dated 18th December 1935, as amended from time to time, is hereby published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby and any suggestion or objection received on or before the 1st January 1941 will be considered by Government, before issuing the amendment finally.

DRAFT AMENDMENT.

Add the following as Rule 81-A to the aforesaid rules regarding Public Service Motor Vehicles :—

"81-A. In the case of a motor bus with open sides, guard rails shall be provided along the right hand side of the vehicle to prevent any person other than the driver from mounting or alighting from the vehicle on that side."

No. P. 2869—Legis. 2-40-42, dated Bangalore, the 3rd December 1940.

The following Notification of the Government of India, Defence Co-ordination Department, is hereby republished for general information.

By Order,
H. V. NARAYANA RAO,
Secretary to Government,
Law Department.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

Defence Co-ordination Department.

NOTIFICATION.

New Delhi, the 16th November 1940.

No. 375—O. R./40.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 2 of the Defence of India Act, 1939 (XXXV of 1939), the Central Government is pleased to direct that the following further amendment shall be made in the Defence of India Rules, namely :—

In sub-rule (4) of rule 22 of the said Rules—

(1) in clause (*i*), after the words "examine or search," the words "any vessel, vehicle or other means of conveyance which the traveller has been employing, and" shall be inserted, and